

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of: Hiroshi UCHIDA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3765

Serial Number: 10/040,450

Examiner: Robert H. Muromoto, Jr.

Filed: January 9, 2002

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For: **METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SOLID STRUCTURAL MATERIAL AND FOUNDATION FABRIC THEREFOR**

Attorney Docket No.: **000362A**

Customer No.: **38834**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

February 26, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2003 for two months from January 3, 2004 to March 3, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

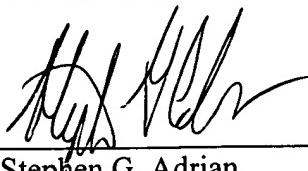
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